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May 9, 1994

D. Wayne Hedberg, Permit Supervisor State of Utah Department of Natural Resources Division of Oil, Gas & Mining 3 Triad Center, Suite 350 Salt Lake City, Utah 84180-1203



Re:

Proposed Mining Plan Modifications to the Ash Grove Cement Quarry located by the Leamington Plant

Dear Mr. Hedberg:

Enclosed is a copy of a letter sent to Doug Reid with USFS. The letter was submitted as an outline of the revisions Ash Grove Cement wishes to make to their mining plan. An official "Notice of Intention to Revise Mining Operations" is currently being completed, and will be submitted to your office sometime this month.

I still have May 24, 1994 scheduled to meet with you and Rody Cox at the Navajo Sandstone Quarry to discuss reclamation plans.

I appreciate your assistance in these projects.

Sincerely,

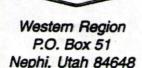
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April 14, 1994



Doug Reid, District Ranger U.S. Forest Service Box 265 Fillmore, Utah 84631

Re: Proposed Mining Plan Modifications to the Ash Grove Cement Quarry located by the Leamington Plant

Dear Mr. Reid:

Due to growth, it has become necessary to modify the existing mining plan for the Learnington Quarry. This plan was submitted by the former plant owner, Martin Marietta Cement in 1979. We propose that modifications be made to the plan in three areas:

Road Construction

It has become necessary to construct an equipment road to the upper elevations of our quarry. Road construction would affect parts of claims 19 and 25. This road will reach the 6200 foot level and an additional leg would access the 6300 foot level.

Material Deposition Area

Some of the mined material in our quarry has unsuitable chemistry for cement use. This material must be relocated. We currently deposit this material on portions of claims 22 and 23. Additionally, we plan to deposit future materials on portions of claims 13, 19, 25, 30, 77, 78, and the north area of stone placer claim #4. Total area increase for material deposition would be approximately 50 acres.

Increased Mining Area

We would like to increase our current mining area by about 150 acres. The area would include portions of claims 25, 32, 33, 34, 35, 38, 39, 40, 41. The total increase of disturbed area on Forest Service land, including material deposition, is estimated to be about 200 acres.

Thanks for your assistance in getting approval for the above modifications. Please contact me if additional information is needed.

Sincerely, Andrew Refinden

Andrew Robinson Plant Engineer